

Specification Amendments

Please amend the paragraph bridging pages 1 and 2 of the text as follows:

-- EP 0 528 196 A1 describes a matt ~~polymethacrylate~~ polymethacrylate film. This is composed of a coherent hard phase whose glass transition temperature is above 70° C. The hard phase is composed of a polymethacrylate matrix with, dispersed therein, a single- or two-phase tough phase composed of a rubber, at least 15 % of this phase having covalent linkage to the hard phase. To make the film matt, from 0.1 to 70 % by weight of a matting agent on the basis in the form of crosslinked polymethacrylate particles are present. The particle sizes of the matting agent are in the range from 1 to 150 µm, preferably from 1 to 10 µm. The difference between the refractive index of the thermoplastic matrix polymer and the matting agent is to be not more than 0.02, in order to avoid clouding of the film material. Extrusion of corresponding polymer mixtures and polishing in a polishing roller stack using high-gloss roller surfaces nevertheless gives films with a matt surface. The roughness values R_z to DIN 4768 here are in the range from 0.01 to 50 µm, for example 1.7 µm. Hard-phase polymers are used here at glass transition temperatures of, by way of example, 90° C, and these may comprise tough-phase fractions with glass transition temperatures of –35° C. --